Senate District J

Tim Worthen, Republican



ATE OF BIRTH: December 14, 1955

PLACE OF BIRTH: Seattle, Washington

NAME OF SPOUSE: Donna, UAA graduate

(married for 20 years)

CHILDREN: Alex (16), Kyrstin (13) and Daniel (9)

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OCCUPATION: Business owner

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 21 years

Muldoon 1988 to present Mt. View, Russian Jack 1981-1987

EDUCATION:

University of Washington, 1980, B.A. Accounting Major, Marketing Minor.

POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:

Citizen - not a politician.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

Premier Alaska Tours, co-owner, accountant,1995-present, operate a fleet of motorcoaches and tours throughout Alaska that employs 40 people. Regency Alaska Tours, vice-president over Alaska tours, 1991-1994. Alaska Railroad, manager of passenger services, 1985-1990, oversaw 100 employees/contractors, sales, reservations, marketing, food service, cleaning, and tour guides. Alyeska Pipeline Service Co., cost accountant then financial analyst, 1981-1984.

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

Number 1 Priority - raise 3 children, heavy involvement in our children's soccer teams.

OTHER:

Board member, Alaska Visitors Association, 1987-1994; Alaska Tourism Marketing Council, 1987-1992; real estate investing and remodeling, 1982-present.

STATEMENT:

I am a small business owner, accountant and not a politician. I have balanced a budget, created jobs and built a successful small business in the private sector. I have three priorities in my campaign:

- 1. Quality educational opportunities are needed for our children. Get back to basics in education.
- 2. **Health and Safety** for Alaskan families is critical. Tough on crime and supports law enforcement in order to keep our neighborhoods safe. Supports President Bush's war on terrorism and a strong military presence in Alaska.
- 3. **Quality Jobs** can be developed in this State through resource development, which will also increase revenues to our state.

My position on other critical issues to Alaska:

- Reduce state spending while maintaining essential services.
- Shorten the legislative session to 90 days.
- Support term limits on politicians. A citizen legislature is needed.
- Protect the Permanent Fund.
- Support efforts to locate Legislature in Anchorage/Mat-Su area

I will fight against the state income tax that my opponent voted for in the last legislative session. We cannot tax working people and damage the economy while allowing state government to continue to increase spending.

I believe in Alaska. With our world class natural resources and hard working people, we can have a bright future. But we need to elect legislators like me, people with experience and common sense, if we are to achieve our vision for a bright future for Alaska.